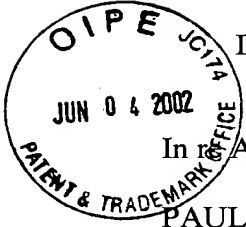


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In re Application of

PAUL A. DVORAK, ET AL.

Application No. 09/726,078

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For: HYDRAULICALLY ACTUATED
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated March 1, 2002, please amend the
above-identified application, as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the following claims:

1. A hydraulically actuated quick coupling device, comprising:
an attachment frame including a centerline;
a latch member operatively associated with the attachment frame and movable
between a disengaged position and an engaged position;
a link having first and second end portions, the first end portion of the link
being connected to the latch member;

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